The Glee Club Concert.

On Saturday evening, February 22, occurred Wellesley's great event of the year, the Glee Club concert. And the one given last Saturday night, and repeated on Monday, may almost be said to have been the greatest of all years. It was by all odds the best concert we have had in the last four years. The occasion practically began Saturday morning. Immediately after breakfast, a large force of girls was at work decorating the Centre with ferns, easy chairs, settees and the different College banners. By noon, the four different corners were gay in Yale, Princeton, Harvard and Wellesley colors. In the evening, all Wellesley was at her best; the gowns worn were most attractive. All the numbers given by both the Glee and Mandolin Clubs were so well received that it is difficult to select numbers for individual mention. The solo work is an imitation of this year's concert, and adds much to the program. "The Pussy Cat and the Mouse," sung by Miss Wheeler, "On Wings of Song," sung by Miss McClellan and Miss Pinkham, and "Daffodils," seemed to be the favorites of the audience. The Glee Club concert can be voted a complete success in every way. The singers for both Saturday and Monday nights were: Jessie Hutsell, Lillian Libby, Ethel Sanborn, Nan Henning, Clara Lorenzen, Manol Fleming and Reba Hilder. The program of the concert was as follows:

PART I.
1. "A-slumber Song."<br>   { C. Bohm  
| Art. by C. C. Dorn  
| b "Serenade Barbaresque."  
| { Mowr  
| Art. by L. T. Romers  
2. "On the Wings of Song."<br>   { Mendelssohn  
| Miss McClellan and Miss Pinkham  
3. "A Song of Seasons."<br>   { C. B. Hawley  
| Glee Club  
4. "Choral Bellaire."<br>   { B. B. Lamp  
| Mandolin Club  
5. "Before and After."<br>   { Frederick F. Bullard  
| b "Alma Mater."  
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   1. First Mandolin. Carroll Kampman, '02, Juliette Cook, '02, Ethel V. Heaford, '04.

COLLEGE CALENDAR.
Friday, February 21. Miss Whiting's Reception at Fifes. 
Saturday, March 1. Miss Davis lectures at 3.20.

Saturday, March 8. Open meeting of the Agora Society.
Monday, March 10. Professor Kelsey of the University of Michigan will lecture on Recent Discoveries at Pompeii.
Saturday, March 15. At 3.20, Miss Davis will lecture. Evening: The French Play at the Barn.
Monday, March 17. Concert.
Sunday, March 25. The Reverend James Grant of Watertown will preach.

THEATRE BULLETIN.

Hollis. "Irving and Terry." "King Charles I." Thursday night; "Louis X," Saturday night; "Merchants of Venice," Friday night and Saturday Matinée.
Colonial. "Floradora." "Tremonia." "King Dede!"
The program for the sixteenth rehearsal and Concert of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, to be given on Friday afternoon, February 28, at 2:30, and on Saturday evening, March 1, at 8, is as follows:
Mozart. "Symphony in E Flat Chorale. Concerto for Pianoforte in E Minor Max Schilling's Prelude to "Oedipus Rex"
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In speaking of the lack of a course on Domestic Science in our Women's Colleges, a writer in the Boston Transcript says:

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ALUMNÆ NOTES.

A meeting of the Phi Delta Wellesley Club was held Saturday afternoon, February 3, in the college club rooms, 1801 Chestnut street.

The President, Mrs. Helen James O'Brien, called the meeting to order by requesting all to join in singing "To Alma Mater." Then followed a programme especially social in character. An "Identity Hunt," an amusing game which recalled Wellesley days and experiences, and the singing of favorite Wellesley songs, did much to make the meeting a social success.

A pleasant half-hour or more was spent in discussing Wellesley news, while refreshments were served.

Twenty members were present. The club will have another social meeting in March.

The Hartford Wellesley College Club has fixed the following programme for the rest of the year:


The officers of the association are as follows: President, Florence S. M. Crofton, '97; Vice-president, Catherine E. Horton, '90; Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Jennie Long, '92; Windsor, Conn., Executive Committee, Misses, Frances Snook Williams, '96, Chairman, Mrs. Grace Bernard Warner, '84; Treasurer, Miss Florence Bell, '91. Musical Committee, Miss Edith Sawyer Petosky, Miss, '95, Chairman.

Blanche L. Carey, 1891-95, is master's assistant in the Bigelow High School, Newton, Mass.

Anna M. Washburn, 1869-95, is principal of the Mary A. Livermore School, Melrose, Mass.
NOTES.

WELLESLEY-VASSAR DEBATE.

The first trial for the Wellesley-Vassar debate came off last Wednesday night, February 18, in College Hall Chapel. Practically, the entire college turned out to encourage the speakers by their presence. The chapel was almost entirely filled on that night, and what will be the inadequacy of the chapel, as regar's room, for the final debate, was forcibly demonstrated. About thirty girls entered for the first trial, and of these, the following fourteen were qualified for the second trial: Misses Baker, Campbell, Creble, Hannahs, Hobbs, Hunter, Hutsin-pillar, Landis, Lord, More, Rollins, True, Warren and Wilcox.

By the sides to be taken by those speakers in the second trial are: Affirmative—Creble, Warren, Cambell, Hobbs, Wilcox, Lord, Hunter, Negative—Rollins, More, True, Hannahs, Hutsinipple, Baker, Landis.

The judges at the trials are Miss McCauley, Miss Manwaring and the each from Harvard.

At a meeting of the Debate Committee and the fourteen debaters chosen, held Friday night, it was decided to hold a second "first trial" in College Hall Chapel, at 4 15, Wednesday afternoon, February 25, for the benefit of those who wish to enter at this late date.

Everything considered, there has been a lamentable lack of enthusiasm and college spirit displayed in the matter of this debate, and the second first trial was given in the hope that many of the very good debaters, who did not enter for the first trial, would do so this time.

The small amount of knowledge possessed by the average student on the subject chosen for the Wellesley-Vassar debate shows in a rather wear and forcible way the lack of knowledge possessed by Wellesley girls of the current issues of the day. It is very evident that, as a student body, we do not keep up-to-date in the way we should with outside questions. Of course the root of the trouble lies in the fact that a very small per cent of the girls make any sort of a pretense to glance over a newspaper intelligently every day. Our ignorance in this matter is wholly excusable, for the college reading room, containing New York, Boston and Chicago dailies, furnishes plenty of newspapers to give us desired knowledge, did we but peruse them. A few minutes each day spent in the reading room would do wonders to towards making us rather more intelligent beings concerning things happening in the larger outside world.

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A very pretty reception was given by Professor Whiting at Fiske College last Friday evening. In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. Wells of Kingston, R. I. Mr. Wells, Miss Whitings cousin, was recently elected a member of the Board of Trustees of Wellesley College. The students who assisted Miss Whitings in entertaining the guests wore colonial costume. The evening passed very pleasantly.

Mention was made in last week's issue of the COLLEGE NEWS of the Harvard Glee, Mandolin and Banjo Club concert to be held in Wellesley Town Hall, on Saturday evening, March 3. The seats re- served at 50 and 75 cents will be on sale Monday, February 24, at Wellesley Post Office, and also at the college, time and date to be announced later. Mail orders sent to the Wellesley Post Office will receive seats which will be assigned in the order received. The entertain ment is for the benefit of the Wellesley Golf Club, and the public is promised one of the best of the year at one-half Boston prices.

February 17 was the birthday of Francis Willard. On Sunday evening, February 23, after vespers, Somerest Y held a meeting in her honor.

The Misses Henning, Saxborn, Hibler, Libby and Lowe were "at home" in the Senior parlors on Wednesday afternoon, February 19, from four until six.

The Misses Clifford, Roberts, Darby, Rogers and Van Wazer have sent out invitations for a colonial ball, to be given in the Barn on Monday afternoon, March 2, from three until six.

Rehearsals for the French play were to be given at the Barn on the evening of March 15, are in progress. A rare treat is promised, and there will undoubtedly be the usual rush for seats. Full details of the play and the cast will be published in next week's issue of COLLEGE NEWS.

The entertainment provided by the Court of Revels on the morning of Washington's Birthday, in College Hall Center, was the singing of national airs and the reading of impromptu speeches in honor of the "Father of His Country." The speakers responding to the call of the girls were Misses Thomson, Hughes, Pendleton, Klingsboth, Newman, Leavens, Gurlitz, Hutsinipple and Draper.

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There are seven students, delegates from Wellesley, to the convention. The party left Wellesley Tuesday afternoon.

Within the past three weeks a Faculty Bowling Club has been organized. Every Thursday afternoon, in the boys' clubhouse, opposite the Hunnewell Grammar School, the following faculty enjoy this sport: Miss Coman, Miss Belle, Miss Wilcox, Miss Keyes, Miss Roberts, Miss Halse, Miss Cummings, Miss Edwards, Miss Vivian, Miss Thompson, Miss Cooley, Miss Pendleton, Miss Kelsey, Miss Abbott.

President Hazard went to Baltimore Thursday to attend the anniversary exercises at Johns Hopkins University and the inauguration of President Benson.

Professor H. C. MacDougall gave an organ recital at Vassar College, Wednesday afternoon, of music by Bach and Handel.

In President Hazard's report to the board of trustees published recently, the following statements, in regard to the gymnasium work, are most interesting: "The need for a gymnasium remains. The measurements of the freshman class have been taken this year after an interval of some years and the corrective work of the physical department demands high praise. The freshmen, as a rule, improve steadily in health and in vigor during the first year. The Academic Council has voted to require three periods a week of physical exercise from the Sophomores this year. In the Sophomore year there has been no supervision of exercise, and many students drop back deplorably in matters of health. If we can succeed in keeping up the good habits formed in the Freshman year, of proper exercise and proper living, a great step will have been taken."

The "at home" of the Agora Society, last Saturday afternoon, was, in spite of the storm, one of the most largely attended teas of the season. From three until six o'clock, the attractive new home of the society, though spacious in size, was taxed to its utmost. Miss Hutsanfill, president of the society, received, assisted by Miss Agnes Brown, Pauline Wechsler, Miss Coman, and Miss Bole, among the alumni present were Anne Bixby Chamberlin, '99, of Honolulu, Lida Bateman, '94, Mary Haskell, '91.

The service list for last Sunday night's respirer was as follows: Prelude, Andante (Sonata Op. 2, Beethoven); Schubert, Processional (372.). Invocation, Hymn (396.), Soprano Solo, Psalm 69, (Gloria Patri, 1770.), Scripture Lesson, Prayers, Response, (Soprano Solo). Organ, "An American Epistle." Choral Prelude, J. S. Bach, Soprano Solo, Organ. Anthology from the Sonata Patheque, Beethoven, Prayer, Recessional (396.).

Miss Mary DeY. Mitchell, soprano, and the Wellesley choir, Professor MacDougall, organist, President Hazard led the service.

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